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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Colau, et al.

Serial No.: 10/049,192

Group No.: 1648

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Examiner: Humphrey, Louise WZ

For: VACCINE

Commissioner for Patents  
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**COMMUNICATION**

Dear Sir:

Applicants have become aware that US Patent Application Serial Number 10/049,192 misnames inventors, in that inventor Georges Thiry is not named as an inventor of this application. Applicants failed to note that the filing receipt dated July 16, 2002 did not list Georges Thiry as a co-inventor of this application. Applicants therefore seek to correct the record to show that Georges Thiry is a co-inventor of the claimed subject matter.

The misnaming of inventors arose without deceptive intent on the part of the inventors or assignee. Applicants believe that the error arose because a copy of the Declaration signed by Georges Thiry was not entered into the Application record. Applicants believe that a true copy of the Declaration (4 pages) signed by Georges Thiry was submitted along with a true copy of the Declaration (4 pages) signed by inventors Colau, Denamur, Knott, Poliszczak and Vande Velde, and including an unsigned signature block for Georges Thiry, in response to the Notice to File Missing Parts submitted to the Patent and Trademark Office on June 6, 2002. A return postcard dated June 6, 2002, indicates that 8 pages of Declaration & Power of Attorney were received by the Patent and Trademark Office. However, although the copy signed by inventors Colau, Denamur, Knott, Poliszczak and Vande Velde, was scanned into the record as pages 63-66 of a 68 page incoming letter, the copy signed by Georges Thiry does not appear to have been scanned into the record. Applicants also note that a copy of an Assignment signed Georges Thiry was recorded at Reel/Frame 013093/0991, along with a copy of an Assignment signed by inventors Colau, Denamur, Knott, Poliszczak and Vande Velde.

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Applicants submit herewith 1) a copy of the Declaration signed by inventors Colau, Denamur, Knott, Poliszczak and Vande Velde (as entered into the record); 2) a copy of the Declaration signed by inventor Thiry (omitted from the record); 3) a copy of both sides of the return postcard indicating receipt by the Patent and Trademark Office of 8 pages of Declaration on June 6, 2002; and 4) a copy of the assignment.

Applicants respectfully request entry into the record of Georges Thiry as an inventor.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Edward Gimmi', written over a horizontal line.

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